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SUBJECT : SE-10: Soviet Capabilities for a Sur-  
prise Attack on the Continental United  
States before July 1952 (Part I)

1. The enclosed text is Part I of SE-10 (see Terms of Reference dated 4 August). The first section, Direct Military Attack, and the third section, Subversive Operations, were considered by the IAC representatives on 28 August and revised in the light of the discussion. The second section, Clandestine Attack, is a summary of NIE-31, which estimate was approved by the IAC on 30 August.

2. The text is submitted for information and review pending receipt of the contribution of the Joint Staff to Part II on US countermeasures.

3. Concurrently, the FBI is requested to effect coordination through the IIC of the appropriate sections of the attached draft.

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Executive Secretary

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